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Hello,

John Cox from the Bakersfield Californian called to follow up on his previous questions as well as some additional questions. He said

1. Was EPA asked whether the SDWA covers the plans that were proposed in 2011 and what was EPA's response.
2. He wants to speak to someone about Cyclic Steaming and UIC Class II wells. As he understands it cyclic steaming requires no injecting under the frack gradient. So is it then intentionally done above the frack gradient? Under what authority does it work?
3. Does CA have the authority to set 10,000 vs. 3,000 levels.?

Let's figure out tomorrow how we want to respond. He wants to speak to someone, so I'm not sure how we want to proceed.

Thanks!

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